

REMARKS

This is a divisional. In the parent application Claims 17-22 were restricted out. New Claim 29 here is similar to original Claim 17 in claiming a compact disc test apparatus. New Claim 23 here is a method claim directed to a method of testing compact discs and, hence is entitled to be examined along with Claim 29.

The amendments to Claims 18-22 are to improve form, change dependency, remove claim terms, and are not narrowing or for reasons of patentability.

The references cited in the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement were those cited in the parent application.

If it is determined that a telephone conference would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned at the number given below.

In the event the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office determines that an extension and/or other relief is required, applicant petitions for any required relief including extensions of time and authorizes the Commissioner to charge the cost of such petitions and/or other fees due in connection with the filing of this document to Deposit Account No. 03-1952 referencing docket no. 136922002510. However, the Commissioner is not authorized to charge the cost of the issue fee to the Deposit Account.

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